

Ngāti Koata and Te Pātaka a Ngāti Koata Trusts

2024 Trustee Election Candidates

The nomination period for the 2024 Trustee election for the Ngāti Koata and Te Pātaka a Ngāti Koata Trusts closed at 12 noon on Friday 27 September 2024. The following valid nominations were received for the three vacancies on the Trusts:

FERMANIS	T.J
KOTUA	Riki
PAUL	Regan Ngawari
WILSON	Joanie

As the number of valid nominations received exceeds the number of vacancies available, an election is required and will be conducted by postal and internet voting and by ballot box at the Annual General Meeting (**AGM**). Voter packs, together with information about the candidates will be sent to all registered and verified adult members of the Trusts on Friday 18 October 2024, with voting closing at 11:00am, Saturday 23 November 2024. Any member who does not receive a voting document or requires a replacement document should ring the election helpline on 0800 666 031.

New Registrations

The Ngāti Koata Trust office also invites anyone who has not already enrolled, aged 18 years and over and with the appropriate whakapapa, to apply to be included on the Trust's register.

Annual General Meeting

The AGM will be held at Whakatū Marae starting at 10:00am, Saturday 23 November 2024. All Iwi members are welcome to attend. The Trust office will give a further update about AGM meeting attendance arrangements on their website on or before Friday 15 November 2024.

Deed Review

In addition to voting for the 2024 Trustee Election Candidates, a vote will also be required for the 2024 Deed Review Resolutions. At the 2021 Annual General Meeting (AGM), the Iwi approved major changes to the Ngāti Koata Trust and Te Pātaka a Ngāti Koata Trust Deeds. Minor amendments to the two Deeds were also made at the 2023 AGM.

Further changes to both Deeds to clarify or correct errors/anomalies are proposed for consideration of Iwi members at the **AGM**.

Iwi members are being asked to support the proposed changes – further details can be found by visiting our website: <https://www.ngatikoata.com/>



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